

## House Resolution No.

**Whereas**, it is with special pleasure that the members of the Missouri House of Representatives pause to recognize an outstanding Missouri citizen who has distinguished herself as a leader of her community; and

**Whereas**, Beth Schroeder will be recognized as a 2004 Woman of Achievement during the 49th Annual Women of Achievement Luncheon to be held May 17, 2004, at the Ritz Carlton in Clayton, Missouri; and

**Whereas**, sponsors for the Women of Achievement awards include the Suburban Journals, KMOX News/Talk 1120 Radio, the Ladue News, the Enterprise Rent-A-Car Foundation, Heartland Bank, and The Delmar Gardens Family; and

**Whereas**, Beth Schroeder is a single working mother whose twelve-year-old son, Ethan, has Down syndrome; and

**Whereas**, motivated by her personal experience, Beth Schroeder has served on the Board of Directors of the Down's Syndrome Association of Greater St. Louis for the past six years, during which time she has served as Board President and has helped the organization to expand its services and to increase its fundraising efforts; and

**Whereas**, Beth Schroeder moved the organization's annual walk to Busch Stadium, increasing the size of the event from a few hundred walkers to 2,000 walkers; and

**Whereas**, Beth Schroeder is currently working to establish a Down's syndrome clinic at St. Louis Children's Hospital:

**Now, therefore, be it resolved** that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-second General Assembly, unanimously join in extending our most hearty congratulations to Beth Schroeder at this proud moment of well-deserved distinction, and in wishing her only the very best of success in all her future endeavors; and

**Be it further resolved** that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for 2004 Woman of Achievement, Beth Schroeder.

Offered by \_\_\_\_\_  
Representative Neal St. Onge  
District No. 88

I, Catherine L. Hanaway, Speaker of the House of Representatives, Ninety-second General Assembly, Second Regular Session, do certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House Resolution No. \_\_\_\_, adopted \_\_\_\_\_, 2004.

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Catherine L. Hanaway, Speaker